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LOCAL AND GENERAL

—W. P. McCans was in Poplar Bluff last week.

—Hans Hawn has moved from the country into his town property.

—Charleston had a \$2000 fire last Saturday. Origin unknown.

—The Bollinger County Bank buys county warrants and good notes.

—Work has again commenced on the new Baptist church building.

—Rev. Dr. Spurgeon, the great Baptist preacher of London, England, is dead.

—A great reduction in ladies' watch and neck chains at Dr. A. R. Jaques, store, Lutesville.

—County and Probate courts will be in regular session next week, beginning Monday.

—Don't you know Dr. Jaques' Improved Liver Pills are the safest and best family remedy?

—A Mr. Seigle of St. Louis has been the guest of the family of W. W. Fisher for several days.

—An intoxicated vagabond furnished a few hours amusement for the small boys Friday night.

—About 104 tracts of Wayne county land is being sold by Sheriff, for taxes, at Greenville, this week.

—Don't you know Dr. Jaques' Compound Cough Syrup is the best to cure coughs, colds and pneumonia?

—Lucky! The lucky man is generally a very industrious one and loaded with good common sense.

—VALENTINES.—Erich Sander will have valentines of every description from now until after February 14.

—Rev. Louis Dehls lectured on the dry side of the whisky question in Greenville's last Sunday night.

—C. C. Goree, aged 67 years, died at his home near Bessville last Friday. He stood high in the community.

—Stephen Allen moved last week into the house east of town, formerly occupied by Enoch Robertson.

—A Vernon county man has been sent to the penitentiary for breaking his wife's nose with a fence rail.

—In 1891 there were 130 marriage licenses issued in Perry county, 411 births recorded, and 109 deaths reported.

—Don't you know Dr. Jaques' Good Samaritan will relieve colic in Man or Horse quicker than any other medicine?

—Press has placed fifteen new names of paid-up-in-advance subscribers on its list since last issue. Thanks.

—The normal school at Kirksville, Mo., closed Tuesday, the coal supply being exhausted, and 500 students were frozen out.

—Miss Della Caldwell, who is teaching school at Gravel Hill, was the guest of her brothers, attorneys C. P. and J. W. Caldwell, last week.

—David Willard was tried, found guilty of murder and sentenced to be hanged on Feb. 28th, in the Butler county Circuit Court last week.

—An evangelist converted 4,000 people, caused 30 saloons to be closed and worked up a great religious excitement in Ellizbeth, N. J., last week.

—Albert Robertson, son of Enoch Robertson, died Friday night. Age about 15. Deceased was a hard-working boy and well liked by his associates.

—Ex Judge N. M. Zimmerman gave us a hearty shake of his horny hand Monday. He takes a bright view of Glen Allen's future and believes it will become an important commercial point in Bollinger County. Glen Allen has made rapid growth in the last year, and the building move is still "on."

—Sheriff Gardner left for Jefferson City Wednesday night with Butler county's quota for the penitentiary. They were: Fannie Vandover, who was indicted for complicity in the murder of her husband, Matthew Vandover, last Feb., and who last week was permitted to withdraw her plea of not guilty and entered a plea of murder in the second degree. She goes to serve a life sentence. Also John Williams and Wm. McInnes, both colored, who, on the plea of guilty to larceny from a dwelling house, were sentenced for three years each.—Poplar Bluff Exchange.

—Thos. M. Blair, aged 92 years, died at his home in Perry county recently. He had been constable of one township for forty-five years, and was one of the land marks of the county.

—The postoffice will soon be moved into the Bohnsack building, and, we are told, Misses Rosa and Mollie Fisher will open a millinery store in the room now occupied by the postoffice.

APPLE TREES FOR SALE.—Old and new varieties. Early, fall and late. Good trees with good roots. 10 cts. each. Terms cash. Discount on large orders. Call and see them, or address LAURENCE C. GRIFITH, Bessville, Mo.

—The Georgia editor comes to the front again: "When next our patrons we shall dance, We will no longer trifle; We start the new year right, with one First-class repeating rifle."

—Have you grease spots on your clothing? If so call and purchase a bottle of our Magic Erasive Fluid. A single bottle will convince you. 15 cents will buy a bottle.

A. R. JAQUES.
(It is the best we ever used—Ed.)

—At Marble Hill the highest temperature for January was 57 degrees, the lowest 10 below zero. The mean temperature was 27 degrees. During the month sixty-five hundredths of an inch of rain fell, and thirteen and a half inches of snow. The observations were made at the Academy with self-registering instruments.

—A new and well-written communication has been received at this office from the Flat Woods, but the writer failed to sign his name, and as it is a rule to NEVER publish a contribution which does not bear the writer's full name, it will not appear in these columns. We must have your name as an evidence of good faith.

—From a conversation had last week with Hon. M. R. Smith of Farmington we take it that he is a candidate for Judge of the St. Louis Court of Appeals. Senator Smith has the reputation of being a fine lawyer, a consistent Democrat and an affable gentleman, whom the party has honored in various ways, and if elected to the office of Judge, we feel sure he will confer honor upon the position.—Greenville Journal.

—My trade has been heavy all fall and winter, but I have a few heavy goods on hands yet, of different lines, which I want to close out at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES, to make room for spring goods. My stock consists of Overcoats, Boots, Shoes, Bed Blankets, Comforts, Ladies' Jackets, Wool Shawls, Men's and Ladies' Overshoes, and many other articles too numerous to mention. Come, everybody, and examine goods and learn my prices, and buy goods cheap while they are to be had.

ROBERT DRUM.

—The grim reaper has invaded the happy home of our friend, Mr. Henry Elfrank, and took therefrom one who's place can never be filled—the wife and mother. She had been a sufferer for a long time from cancer in the stomach, and, being seduced in strength, when the prevailing malady, la grippe, attack her she sank rapidly, and last Sunday night at about the hour of ten, surrounded by her family and a number of friends, all that was immortal of Mrs. Elfrank took its flight to the realm of peace and rest. She was a member of the Catholic Church, and was buried at Vinmont Tuesday. She leaves a husband and six motherless children, to whom we extend our most sincere sympathy.

—David Clippard is making arrangements to prospect further on the land of Edward Kinder, about one mile east of town. Mr. Clippard said to a Press representative the other day that the indications for lead were very flattering. He also says that he is already getting out a very good quality of zinc ore, known as "dry bone ore." The Press wishes the enterprising gentleman success. We feel confident that Bollinger County is underlaid with rich leads of mineral. Iron, lead, zinc, silver and traces of gold have been found.

—The prospecting that has been done has not been thorough enough. We understand that several years ago good lead ore was found in a well at a depth of 30 feet, in south Marble Hill.

LUTESVILLE LOCALS.

Master Chas. Burks is very sick.

The Sunday School here is on a boom.

Only one local freight train on the road now.

W. V. Cashion of St. Louis was here last week.

Wells Sander is assisting J. B. Thompson in the postoffice.

Rev. Geo. King of Cape county was visiting here last week.

S. A. Burk of Caster was seen on our streets a few days since.

Born, on the 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Burford, a 10-pound girl.

Wash Hunt and family have moved to the residence of Mr. Watkins.

Last Saturday was a big day for Lutesville. Lots of goods sold here nowadays.

"Look before you leap," and when you leap be sure to light in or near Lutesville.

Harden Dees and wife of Morehouse, Mo., are here on a visit to relatives and friends.

C. W. Rhodes of Glen Allen is building a nice residence and business house at that place.

Marion and Peter Kinder of Caster gave Lutesville's merchants a pleasant call Saturday.

John Boswell and family of Mississippi county, arrived here last week and rented a farm near town.

Lee Turner's school at Buchanan was out on the 29th ult. Lee was very well liked there as a teacher.

Mrs. W. E. Dickey, who has been very sick for the past two weeks, is, we are glad to say, convalescent.

Say, you had better buy that lot now, for when the mines opens up they will cost twice their present value.

N. E. Hall and family went to Cape county Sunday evening to visit relatives. They returned Monday morning.

Died, on the 28th ult., at his residence, "Uncle" Billy Gray.

"Uncle" Billy was one of our most respected citizens.

Miss Jennie Lutes, who has been very sick at Bloomfield, came home last week. She is recovering fast, we are glad to say.

Say, but don't tell any one, there is silver right here at Lutesville—already been assayed, and we know whereof we speak.

Rev. Enre preached a splendid sermon Sunday night. Mr. Enre prepares his sermons well before entering the pulpit. Every preacher should do this.

Died, Jan 29, at his residence, in the German settlement, Arnold Johnson, at the age of 73 years. He leaves a wife and a host of friends to mourn their loss.

Zalma Locals.

By our Reg. Correspondent.

I have thawed out.

The snow is going.

John P. Beatty contemplates moving to Texas.

Noah Burk is moving to his farm near Buchanan.

J. W. Brannock of West Plains is in our town.

J. A. Slagle is having his store building enlarged.

Mr. Kinneil, a railroad man, was here on the 29th ult.

Capt. P. L. Powers was on our streets on the 29th ult.

Born, to the wife of John Boyd, a girl, on the 4th ult.

Born, to the wife of Henry Jamison, a girl, on the 21st ult.

P. M. Womack has moved his family to his Wayne Co. farm.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Williams, a boy, a few days ago.

Henry Gaines has sold his Hawkins farm to G. W. McGuire.

Hiram Towler, Constable of Liberty Township, was in this part last week.

Chas. Gardner, Supt of the box factory, has moved his family to this place, from Ill.

S. J. McMinn, in company with Capt. P. L. Powers, went to Buchanan on the 27th ult.

J. W. White has returned from St. Louis, where he has been attending a medical school.

We are satisfied, now that Chicago is the place where, and June 21 the time when, the next president will be nominated, and Cleveland will be the man. Hurrah for him!

The grocery firm of E. B. Williams & Co. are remodeling their store building, and are going to

put in a new stock of dry-goods. Then Zalma will be on a boom. Four dry-goods stores!

James Johnson, who was charged with disturbing the peace, escaped from Constable Bedwell on the 28th ult.

A. J. Sylcox, who lives five miles southeast of this place, has recovered from a very severe attack of la grippe.

Postmaster James has had quite a nice little addition made to his office case. John W. Huff is the man that can do such work.

Miss Anna Grant has the reputation of making the best butter that is sold in this market. She brought some superior butter to our town on the 28th, which found a ready sale.

News From Bessville.
By "Boy," Our Reg. Correspondent.

G. L. Welker has moved into the Gail property.

Johnson Yount is talking of moving to Williamsville.

Dr. Griffith reports a big girl at Hon. J. M. Zimmerman's.

Mad-dogs are reported to be at large in the vicinity of Rock Point.

J. A. Masters has sold his mill engine to some Madison county men.

N. C. Griffith left Monday for St. Louis to attend the Bryant & Stratton business college.

H. W. and N. B. Graham, owners of the Bessville sawmill, were here last week making business lively.

Sam Bess took advantage of the cold weather and prepared an ice-house and had it packed full of ice.

Pink Robbins is preparing to build a dwelling house. This means something. Pink is a single young man, but believes in the changing of things.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.
Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the estate of David Eaves, deceased, that the undersigned Administrator of said estate intends to make final settlement thereof at the next term of Probate court, in and for the county of Bollinger and State of Missouri, to be begun and held in the courthouse in said county on the second Monday in February, 1891.

JOHN K. WELLS,
Administrator.

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STATE OF MISSOURI, SS.
County of BOLLINGER.
In the County Court, to February Term, 1892. Notice of the Selection of a County Depository.

Notice is hereby given that the County Court of said county will, until noon Monday, the 8th day of February, A. D. 1892, and the first day of the February Term of said Court, receive sealed proposals from any banking incorporation, association or individual banker in said county that may desire to be selected as the Depository of the funds of said county for a term from and after the first day of said February term, 1892, until the first day of the regular May term, A. D. 1893, of said court.

F. M. WELLS,
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January 12th, 1892

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Private Bracket.
List of Executors, Administrators, Guardians and Curators who are required by law to exhibit their accounts for settlements on the day and date below named, at the February term, 1892, of said court, to be begun and held at the court house in the town of Marble Hill, Bollinger County, Missouri, commencing on Monday the eight day of February, 1892.

Monday, 1st day of term—Feb. 8, 1892. Delia Boswell, minor; J. M. Finney, guardian.

A. J. Campbell, estate of; Wilson Warner, executor.

F. S. Clippard, minor; F. G. Clippard, guardian.

Frederick Cahy, estate of; S. H. Barrett, administrator.

Elizabeth Campbell, estate of; Wilson Warner, admr.

Tuesday, 2d day—February 9, 1892. A. G. Chandler, deceased; John J. Chandler, administrator.

Wm. H. Crites, minor; Joab Crites, guardian.

David R. Conrad estate of; Peter R. Conrad, administrator.

David Eaves estate of; John R. Welch, administrator.

Joseph M. Eaker estate of; Emanuel Mouser, administrator.

Wednesday, 3d—February 10, 1892. Annie Guthrie estate of; Joseph E. Baker, administrator.

W. D. Hitt estate of; L. J. Zimmerman, administrator.

Alexander Inman estate of; Geo. T. Pittman, executor.

David G. Jackson, minor; S. A. Jackson, guardian.

Sarah A. King estate of; W. S. King, administrator.

Thursday, 4th day—February 11, 1892. Wesley Lyzbon, decd, minor heirs of; J. M. Zimmerman, guardian.

Ora M. Leming, minor; Rosemore Smith, guardian.

James P. Leming, estate of; John Vinch, administrator.

Nicholas Myers minor heirs of; Henry A. Heitman, gdn.

Thomas E. Masters et al, minors; F. M. Wells, guardian.

Friday, 5th day—February 12, 1892. David McCray minor; Jesse T. Cheek, guardian.

Alvin W. McGuire, minor; W. S. King, guardian.

Jacob A. May estate of; Nancy J. May, administrator.

Francis A. McCauley estate of; John W. Revello, admr.

John Rollins estate of; John R. Welch, administrator.

Jacob Speer estate of; Jane Speer, administrator.

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